

GREAT LOSS IN BOSTON STRIKE

Entire Freight Transportation of the City Is Tied Up.

OVER 7,500 MEN OUT

Today the Employees of All the Express Companies Refused to Go to Work.

DANGER IN SITUATION

Boston, Mass., March 11.—The entire freight transportation business of Boston is tied up, entailing enormous loss on the business of the entire New England by the strike of freight handlers, teamsters and clerks, which began here this morning.

Already, it is estimated that 7,500 men are out and it is expected that fully 10,000 will be involved by tomorrow.

The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and the Boston and Albany Branch of the New York Central road were most directly involved today. Police guarded all approaches to the freight sheds, but there was no demonstration calling for their intervention.

The worst blockade as a result of the strike is along the water front, where business has already been brought to a standstill. The longshoremen, not having stopped work, promptly began unloading vessels which docked yesterday and this morning, and soon the wharves were choked with merchandise as there were no teams to cart it away. Fishing boats brought 300,000 pounds of fish, but there were no buyers for the cargoes, as the dealers could not get teams to move the fish.

The New York, New Haven and Hartford officials refused two propositions to settle the strike, but the state board of arbitration is in touch with both sides and hopes to effect a settlement.

Freight handlers at Providence refused to come to Boston to take the places of the strikers, preferring to lose their places to obeying the order.

This morning the local employees of the great express companies, the Adams and the New York and Boston, which handle practically all the fast freight in southern New England refused to go to work. On the other hand, the two railroads involved today both claim that they will have a large force of new men at work tomorrow.

Norfolk Situation Unchanged
Norfolk, Va., March 11.—The strike situation remains unchanged. Cars are running manned by non-union men and guarded by soldiers. Public sentiment seems to be deserting the strikers.

Building Trades Fight
Oklahoma City, Ok., March 11.—Fifteen hundred workmen in the building trades went on a strike here today because the building contractors refused to employ union labor unless the Building Trades' would agree to dissolve. Both sides are strongly organized.

WILL ASSEMBLE AT MILWAUKEE

Three Conventions To Be Held This Week—Brewers, Photographers and Laundrymen.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 11.—The Wisconsin Brewers' association is in session here today. This association is composed of men engaged in the brewing of beer in the various cities and towns of Wisconsin. The so-called "big brewers" are not members of the association.

The sixth annual session of the Photographers' association of Wisconsin will be held today, Wednesday and Thursday in the art galleries of the exposition building. A reception, a theater party and lectures on matters of interest to photographers will be the features of the convention.

A Wisconsin Laundrymen's association will be formed this week. At present there is no association of men engaged in this occupation in this state. It is said the formation of this association will probably be the means of bringing to Milwaukee the next convention of the National Laundrymen's association. The convention will be held on Friday and Saturday at the St. Charles hotel.

J. L. Fleck visited this city yesterday from Brodhead.

RURAL DELIVERY BILL IS PASSED

Establishes the System as a Part of the Postal Service—Contracts Are Stricken Out.

Washington, March 11.—After seven days' practically uninterrupted consideration of the measure, the house yesterday evinced the bill to put the rural free delivery service under the contract system and then passed it. The paragraph relating to contract was stricken out in Committee of the Whole by a vote of 97 to 40. Efforts to keep the carriers out of the civil service were unavailing.

A ye and nay vote was taken on a proposition to dismiss a carrier who uses his position to further the interests of any political party, which was defeated by a vote of 96 to 111.

The bill as passed establishes the rural free delivery service as a part of the postal system of the country, it having hitherto been conducted as an experimental service, by appropriations made from year to year, increasing from \$10,000 in 1894 to \$3,750,000 in 1902.

The bill provides for special agents in charge of divisions at \$2,400 apiece; four other classes of special agents at salaries respectively of \$1,300, \$1,400, \$1,500 and \$1,600; route inspectors at salaries of \$300, \$1,000, \$1,100, and \$1,200; clerks graded at the same figure; and carriers at not exceeding \$600 per annum.

MR. SPOONER SAYS IT WAS AN OVERSIGHT

Edgerton Electric Road Franchise Was Not Filed, Through a Mistake of Some Kind.

P. L. Spooner says that his failure to file an acceptance of the Edgerton franchise for the Madison-Janesville interurban railway within the required ninety days was an oversight. He expects to be able to correct the error without any difficulty. The citizens of Edgerton are practically unanimous in favor of the construction of the road. It is expected that work on the new line will be commenced soon. All of the preliminary survey has been made and the promoters are now considering which route is best. One of the proposed routes runs by way of Milton and Milton Junction and another by the way of Indian Ford. The latter is considerably cheaper and more direct.

Considerable pressure has been brought to bear on Mr. Spooner in regard to running his line by the way of the Milton Junction and a survey of the route has been made. The route by the way of Indian Ford is favored by Mr. Spooner for the reason that it gives him connections with a town that has no railroad connections with the surrounding country and also runs through a thickly settled portion of the towns of Fulton and Janesville besides running by way of the county farm.

UNSELFISH ACT OF EX-GOV. PECK

Milwaukee, March 11.—Former Governor George W. Peck is learning that an unselfish act does not always bring its own reward. The governor generously tendered his resignation as regent-at-arms to assist Governor La Follette out of a bad hole in which he was placed through the appointment of two regents in one district, contrary to law. Now some of Governor La Follette's friends insinuate that Mr. Peck's act was caused by a desire to place Governor La Follette under obligations in order that should opportunity occur he might induce the governor to throw some fat appointment with a good salary attachment in his direction. As Governor Peck's action was purely the result of unselfish good nature and a desire to make matters pleasant all around his friends say the insinuations now made are in poor taste.

TO DISTRIBUTE FISH

State Commission Will Double Its Former Record—Demand for Fish Is Much Larger.

Madison, Wis., March 11.—The commissioners of fisheries will in a few days begin the annual distribution of fish from the hatcheries. The commission last year made the largest distribution of fish in its history and this year it expects to double last year's output. The demand for fish of all kinds for stocking is much larger than heretofore, which would indicate that the work of the commission in the past has been satisfactory, and that the people are interested in keeping the lakes and streams stocked with desirable game and food fish.

Windstorm in Omaha
Omaha, Neb., March 11.—Fifty buildings were more or less damaged by a terrific windstorm shortly after midnight. The wind swept district is strewn with debris. Buildings are unroofed, sidewalks torn up, fences thrown down, and windows blown out. The storm section was panic stricken the rain and lightning adding to the terror.

Cincinnati, March 11.—Gov. Taft of the Philippines was successfully operated upon today to remove an old trouble that caused a long illness in the Philippines.

Mt. Vernon, Ind., March 11.—The safe in the Bozeman and Waters bank at Poseyville was blown open last night and thirty-three hundred dollars stolen. The bank had shipped out eighteen thousand yesterday.

PRINCE READY TO START HOME

Hoboken and Jersey City Combine to Honor Him Today.

HIS LAST SPEECH

German Royal Visitor on the Steamer Deutschland, Now Ready To Sail.

TRIP DELIGHTED HIM

New York, March 11.—Prince Henry's last day in New York began much as other days have begun since his visit to America. He slept on board the Deutschland. He had hardly finished his morning meal when the mayor of Hoboken was announced. The Prince received him immediately and arrangements were made for the last fettering to be given the prince. The Mayor told the Prince that the German singing societies of Hoboken and Jersey City would assemble during the afternoon to give him a farewell.

The Prince had planned to make several calls this morning acknowledging the entertainments given him here but he gave up the plans when he found his time too limited. During the morning members of the letter carriers' association presented him with a bronze tablet with the head of the martyred president in bas-relief.

His Last Speech
Philadelphia, March 11.—This, the last day of the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to the United States was spent in Philadelphia. The royal visitor spent some little time in the Independence Hall and viewed Cramp's shipyard. He was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Union League, where he spoke what he stated to be his last public speech in America. In this he denied any secret object in visiting the country and asserted that he had obeyed the orders of his brother, the emperor, to keep his eyes and ears open and that he had seen and learned a great deal more than he had expected. He expressed regret to leave the shores where he had experienced so much friendliness and hospitality and closed with the expression, "Let us try and be friends."

TO SUPPRESS THE IRISH LAND LEAGUE

British Cabinet Discuss Question, and Agree That Conditions in Ireland Are Worse Than Ever.

London, March 11.—The cabinet met today to discuss the disaster to General Methuen. It also discussed the question of the suppression of the Irish Land League. All members of the cabinet agreed that the conditions in Ireland at present are worse than they have been for years.

Alfred Belt, the South African diamond king received a telegram today stating that Cecil Rhodes' condition is extremely grave and causing anxiety.

PLENTY OF WORK FOR GAME WARDENS

Warm Weather Has Brought Thousands of Ducks from the South—Much Illegal Shooting.

According to all reports there is plenty of work for the game wardens at Lake Koshkonong at the present time. The warm weather has brought thousands of ducks from the south, which are being shot every day at the lake, regardless of the law that prohibits spring shooting. One man reports having seen a hunter with forty-five ducks in his possession that were killed one morning this week and also saw several other hunters engaged in the sport.

On account of the heavy ice in the lake there is very little open water around the edges, so that the ducks looking for a lighting place, make for any patch of open water they can see and are an easy prey for the hunter, who has a blind near the opening with a bunch of decoys set out in front of it.

Another sport that has become quite popular at the lake, that is contrary to law, is the pursuit of geese at night by the aid of a strong light. The hunters watch were the geese settle down for the night and then after dark start out on the ice after them. They have with them a large reflecting lamp that throws the light ahead of them. The geese are dazzled by the light and allow the hunters to approach within a short distance of them so that they are easy marks for the hunters with their "pump guns." This kind of shooting is as strictly prohibited as spring shooting and carries with it a severe penalty. One man residing near the lake said that guns could be heard at all hours of the night.

There will be plenty of work the next few weeks for half a dozen wardens at Lake Koshkonong.

FILES THE BILL ON THE MERGER

Government Brings Petition in the Federal Court at St. Paul.

ENJOIN THE ROADS

Railways Asked to Ignore the New Company as a Holder of Shares.

RESTRAINT OF TRADE

St. Paul, March 11.—The government's attack upon the \$400,000,000 Northern Securities company as representing the merger of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern railway companies was begun today by a bill for injunction filed here in the Circuit court of the United States.

The suit is instituted in the name of the United States and against the Northern Securities company, the merged railroads, J. Pierpont Morgan, James J. Hill and all directors, officers and stockholders of the three companies involved, and seeks perpetually to restrain them from carrying out the purposes of the New Jersey corporation. Action is brought in accordance with the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust act passed July 2, 1890, which is said to violate, and it is sought to have the merger of the northern roads declared an unlawful combination and conspiracy in restraint of trade.

The petition in the case is signed by Milton D. Purdy, district attorney for Minnesota, and by Philander C. Knox, Attorney General, and John K. Richards, Solicitor General of the United States, who sounds a note of warning in the following language:

"If the government fails to prevent the carrying out of this combination or conspiracy, not only will a virtual consolidation of two competing lines with the practical pooling of their earnings, be effected, and a monopoly of the interstate and foreign commerce formerly carried on by them as competitors, be created, and all effective competition between such lines in the carrying of interstate and foreign traffic be destroyed, but thereafter, to all desiring to use it, an available method will be presented whereby, through the corporate scheme or device aforesaid, the act of congress of July 2, 1890, may be circumvented and set at naught, and all transcontinental lines, indeed the entire railway systems of the country may be absorbed, merged, and consolidated, thus placing the public at the absolute mercy of holding corporation."

The prayer of the bill is exceedingly comprehensive and asks the court to declare the combination complained of to be in derogation of the common rights of the people of the United States and therefore to restrain the defendants from doing any act in the pursuance of or for the purpose of carrying out the same.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS' JUBILEE

Gov. La Follette Will Be Inducted in Third Degree at Madison Tonight—Chicago March 20.

Madison, Wis., March 11.—Knights of Pythias of Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Iowa, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky will hold high carnival in the Coliseum at Chicago on March 20, and incidentally Governor La Follette will be inducted into the third degree of the order by a team of sixty-five knights from Garfield lodge No. 83 of this city, with Henry Bulder in charge of the work.

The first and second degrees will be conferred on the governor at Madison by a party of Milwaukee Pythians headed by Grand Chancellor Zeno M. Host, Grand Keeper of the Records and Seal U. S. Burns and Colonel C. D. Lisle, brigade commander of the uniform rank. The ceremony will take place at a session of Monona lodge in the Capital City this evening.

The jubilee in Chicago will mark the largest gathering of Knights of Pythias in the history of the order. Candidates for the third rank will be initiated into its mysteries by the famous Tola team of Dayton, O., the noted Indianapolis teams, the crack teams of Wisconsin and the pick of the best teams of Illinois.

All members of the order everywhere are invited to be present. There will be no charge for admission; all fees will be free, and only such qualifications as are necessary for admission to a lodge room will be required.

Madison, Wis., March 11.—(Special)—The statutes relating to the practice of medicine and surgery in this state are in considerable confusion. We shall not attempt to untangle them in this case. This is the first statement of the supreme court in its decision rendered today in the case of Dr. Frederick Schaffer, convicted in Milwaukee of practicing medicine without a license. This judgment is reversed and Schaffer's discharge is ordered. But the reversal is based entirely upon the sufficiency of the complaint, the validity of the medical law not being decided upon.

HUNDREDS DEAD ON COAST OF SALVADOR

Rush of Water Caused by Submarine Volcanic Action—Fifty-Three Bodies Recovered.

San Francisco, Cal., March 11.—A tidal wave is reported to have killed hundreds of people living near the coast of Central America from La Libertad to thirty miles north of Acapulco. Fifty-three bodies had been recovered when the Pacific mail steamer Newport, from Central America, which just arrived here, left there.

The tidal wave occurred on March 4 and was seemingly caused by submarine volcanic action. It came without a moment's warning, and swept the coast after rolling in like a mountain. It swept away barricades and embankments and completely inundated the whole coast. The small buildings in the two places were almost completely wiped away. The residents had no opportunity to escape so sudden was the onslaught of the flood.

When Newport left the inhabitants had not recovered from the onslaught and no effort had been begun to make repairs.

La Libertad is on the southwestern coast of Salvador and is bounded on the south and southwest by the Pacific ocean.

FARM INSTITUTE AT NEWARK TODAY

Two Days' Session Opened in the Rock County Town This Morning with Good Attendance.

Newark, Wis., March 11.—The Rock County Farmers' Institute opened here this morning with a large attendance. It is conducted by George Wille of Morrisonville, assisted by Thos. Convey, Ridgeway, D. Utter, Caldwell; and local talent. The program is as follows:

Tuesday Morning Session, 10:00.
Address of Welcome..... H. G. Nelson
Swine..... Mr. Wille
Tobacco..... A. L. Fisher
Dairy Cows..... Mr. Convey

Afternoon Session, 1:30 O'clock.
Potatoes..... Mr. Utter
Silo and Shlags..... Mr. Convey
Taxation..... L. E. Gottle
Butter-Making..... Mr. Wille
Address, "Citizenship"..... Hon. Clinton Babbitt

Evening Session, 7:30 O'clock.
Literary program prepared by local committee.
Rights of Man..... County Clerk Frank Starr
Does It Pay? If Not, Why Not.....
Education and the Farmer..... Mr. Ross

Wednesday Morning Session, 9:30.
Cheese and Corn..... Mr. Wille
Cattle..... T. A. Carroll
Butter-Making..... Mr. Convey
Paper..... C. H. Hoenes
Farmers' Gardening..... Mr. Utter

Afternoon Session, 1:30 O'clock.
Farmers' Telephone..... Mr. Wille
Outlook of Dairying..... Thos. Imman
Good Feeding..... Mr. Convey
Good Roads..... A. C. Powers

Moody Will Make A GOOD SECRETARY

His Appointment for Long's Place in the Navy is Well Received in Washington.

Washington, D. C., March 11.—The appointment of Mr. W. H. Moody as secretary of the navy to succeed John D. Long, has been well received. He was on the floor of the House when the news reached the capitol, and scores of his fellow members, both Republicans and Democrats, hastened to extend their congratulations. Mr. Moody is a personal friend of President Roosevelt, and was chosen for the place through the tendency of the President to gather about him whom he knows well and who understands him and are able to work with him to their mutual satisfaction.

Mr. Moody is 48 years old, a Harvard man, a lawyer, and has been six years in Congress, where he has won a high reputation. He is not a member of the naval committee, but has always taken great interest in navy matters. He is a bachelor and cares little for fashionable society, and on this account his appointment is not popular in social circles.

Mr. Moody eschews teas and receptions, and in the dinner line prefers those of the staid variety. He lives in bachelor apartments, and the women say they are afraid he will never leave them and take up a civilized mode of life. He is the first bachelor member of the cabinet for some years. The last was President Cleveland's Postmaster General, Bissell, who had not been a year in office before he mended his ways and acquired a wife.

COMBINATION OF THREE BIG ROADS

St. Paul, Northwestern and Rock Island May Be Merged Into One Great Company.

New York, March 11.—The heavy speculation in the street Saturday in securities of the Chicago & North Western, Milwaukee road and Rock Island and Pacific lines is causing a lot of speculation as to the motive behind the big stock deals.

A report is current in this city today that the three roads mentioned are to be merged into one great company, having 10,000 miles of road and \$225,000,000 capital stock. A report reached certain big stock houses in this city today that such a deal is about to be consummated, and heavy dealings in the stock are expected.

SHOE FACTORY SEEMS CERTAIN

Over Half the Amount Desired Has Been Subscribed.

HARD PULL TODAY

Will Finally Be Decided at a Meeting to Be Held Late Tonight.

\$14,000 MORE NEEDED

A meeting of the Business Men's Association was held at the municipal court room last evening to hear the report of the committee having in charge the matter of soliciting stock for the Marzluft Co. shoe factory. Owing to the inclemency of the weather and other attractions, the attendance was not what it should have been, there being about fifty present.

The meeting was called to order by President Levi B. Carle, who as chairman of the committee on stock soliciting, read the report, giving the substance of the agreement between F. M. Marzluft & Co. and the subscribers to the preferred stock. The agreement is substantially as printed in these columns several days ago.

Subscribed for \$16,000
Mr. Carle read the names of seven individuals and firms who subscribed for \$16,000 in stock. The names and amounts are as follows:

J. M. Bostwick & Son.....	\$2,000
L. B. Carle & Son.....	1,000
Hays Bros.....	1,000
C. S. Jackson.....	1,000
Fathers & Jeffers.....	1,000
Filled Bros.....	1,000
J. Haris.....	1,000
Whitehead & Matheson.....	1,000
A. F. Lowry.....	1,000
H. Merrill.....	500
J. Watson.....	500
Schaller & McKee.....	500
F. C. Cook.....	500
S. B. Smith.....	500
J. G. Rexford.....	500
E. W. Mayfield.....	500
J. Fuller Sweetser.....	500
Gazette Printing Company.....	500
E. C. Fish.....	100
Carter & Morse.....	100
Wm. R. Bortman.....	100
Geo. J. Hand.....	100

Mr. Carle stated that Messrs. Marzluft & Co. would probably accept \$30,000. If \$40,000 could not be raised and he thought the former sum could be raised, the committee worked on the theory that if half of the amount could be raised before the report was made the remainder could be raised also. He thought \$40,000 better than \$30,000 as it would give the firm greater working capital and permit a larger profit.

Mr. Carle asked if any present wished to sign the paper but there was no response. J. M. Bostwick suggested that smaller sums be asked for but this did not bring any tangible results and Dennis Hayes moved that in order to get the matter fairly before all that four names be added to the committee, two on each side of the river, and that the committee begin its labors in the morning and work the town thoroughly. The chair appointed on the West side John W. Sweeney and George M. McKee and on the East side W. H. Greenman.

Rev. W. A. Goebel thought the old committee had not been as active as it could have been and stated that in conversation with P. Hohenadel, Jr., he said that gentleman stated to him that if the security was good he would take \$5,000 of the stock.

Merchants Are Backward
Mr. Carle stated that so far most of the merchants who derived the greatest benefit from having the factory kept in the city had subscribed but little and he was almost disgusted. He thought they might contribute something, if only from one to five hundred dollars. Most of these who had subscribed would derive no great benefit, while the merchants would.

F. M. Marzluft stated that the matter must be decided soon or the proposition would be withdrawn. He thanked the committee for what it had done and appreciated the kindness of those who subscribed for stock. He said the stock would be redeemed every cent of it before the time limit expired if he lived and if he did not it would be paid at once from the insurance on his life.

He must know at once what he is to do and if a factory is started to make a profit this season the samples must be gotten out by the middle of April.

The Meeting Tonight
Mr. Sweeney thought the committee might be able to report this evening, but it was thought best not to meet tonight as the Twilight club would be in session. Mr. Sweeney was loudly applauded when he signed his name to the list for \$500 and H. F. Bliss signed \$300 for the Gazette Printing Co., E. T. Fish signed for \$100 as did Carter & Morse, Wm. P. Burton and George J. Hays. All were loudly applauded.

C. S. Jackson moved that the name of Rev. W. A. Goebel be added to the committee with the suggestion that he see Mr. Hohenadel tonight when he returns to Janesville. After instructing the committee to do some very vigorous work the meeting adjourned until after the meeting of the Twilight club at the Myers house tonight, when the members of the Twilight club will be invited to confer with the members of the Business Men's association.

The News From County Towns.

MILTON.

Milton, March 10.—The Lyceums of the College, held their regular joint session Saturday evening, in the chapel. The program was intended to show the literary and parliamentary work now being done, and on the whole well represented. The session was followed by a banquet given by the Orophillians, to their basket ball team, at Odd Fellows' hall.

The burning of the Babcock building at Plainfield, N. J., was quite a loss to that city, but fortunately the plant of the Recorder office, located in the same building, was not burned. This is the organ of the Seventh-Day Baptist denomination. Dr. Lewis, the editor, lost his office furniture and a few books.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh moved to their future home of Lodi, Friday.

Thirty four years ago last Friday T. M. Green moved from a farm to this village and on that day the thermometer was 19 below zero and the sleighing good.

Mrs. George Pargies, of Butte, Mont. and Mrs. Perriago, of Edgerton, were recent visitors at M. B. Downings.

W. A. Chaney, who has been housed up with rheumatism, is able to be out again.

Farmers have been plowing more or less the past week.

Clern W. Crumb left Chicago this week for Oakland, Cal.

In Saturday's items for Mrs. M. C. read W. C. for Pullman, read Pullan. Byron Coon returned from Chicago Friday.

G. W. Erumons spent Sunday here, returning Monday.

Mrs. John Cunningham, of Janesville, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. E. F. Arrington, of Marlon, Ia., visited her parents this week.

Miss Grier, of Milwaukee, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Williams.

T. I. Place and wife entertained the "J. O. T." Club at dinner, Sunday.

Mrs. G. R. Maxson, Mrs. Hattie Maxson and Mrs. D. F. Barker and three children, arrived here Saturday from their former home in Oregon.

W. H. Tomkins, operator at Waukegan, spent Sunday with his parents.

Fred Gould, of Lima, was in town Thursday.

John Roloff has moved onto the L. S. Borden farm.

M. B. Downing spent last week at Edgerton, canvassing for nursery stock.

Mrs. Moses Savre is visiting relatives at Cartwright.

O. E. Orcutt has been out of his place of business for several days during the past week, on account of illness.

Earl Bliss caught a fly ball on his nose Thursday, which broke that useful organ, but aside from increase in size, the injury was not serious.

James Vincent has sold his residence property in this village to Clarence Adille.

Capt. F. C. Maxon, of the Independent Tug Co., of Milwaukee, shook hands with Milton friends, Friday.

T. A. Saunders has sold 550 tons of hard and 500 tons of soft coal, this season.

Du Lac Lodge D. O. O. F. initiated a candidate Monday evening.

E. F. Wiegand has rented the Baldwin house on College street.

The J. B. Anderson house has been sold to some unknown individual.

Born on Sunday, March 9, to Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Tolbert, a ten pound son. His birthplace was Peoria, Ill., and his name is Edwin.

Grandpa Pullan is as well as could be expected.

Mrs. J. D. Mack is visiting White-water friends.

CENTER.

Center, March 10.—Subscriptions for stock in the Farmers' Independent Telephone Co. are being circulated.

The M. B. C. M. held a very successful meeting at Mr. John Davis' Saturday evening. A goodly number of young people from Magnolia being in attendance. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Maud Crall.

Rev. Logan will organize a Sabbath School next Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

F. B. Childs was a Janesville visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Lentz was in Janesville Saturday.

Thos. Inman shipped a car of fancy cattle to Oregon, Ill., last week.

A. Wiggins shipped 2 cars of stock to Chicago last week.

Casper Uehling and family, of Afton, were Sunday visitors at F. O. Uehling's.

Mrs. Bertha Gundie and daughter Clara, are living with Mrs. Gundie's father, J. Ruloff.

Old Mr. Teubert is very feeble.

Mrs. S. Schidmore and daughter Clara spent Saturday in Janesville with relatives.

Mrs. Ella Dettmer was a Janesville visitor on Monday.

Mrs. Kate Zeno and Miss Mamie Blunk, of Janesville, were Hanover visitors last week.

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Messrs. O. J. Barr and W. L. Stephenson went up to Monticello on Wednesday evening to take in a live bird shoot Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Skinner received a dispatch Wednesday announcing the death of her father, Dr. Thorpe, at Shell Rock, Iowa. He has been an invalid for some time. Mrs. Skinner left on Thursday morning on the early freight, going by way of Monroe.

Mrs. Lillian Mitchell returned from

Ray Crall is now engaged in selling farm implements at the Lyden.

Mrs. David Lowry fell and broke her arm on Tuesday last.

The school in District No. 2 closed Friday for a two weeks vacation.

John Goldsmith's house is ready for plastering.

Mark Thompson has been hired by Walter Poynter for the season, and will soon move in the tenement house.

Those of us who had the pleasure of hearing the entertainment given by Mrs. D. N. Wetzel, dramatic reader and impersonator, at Footville hall on Friday evening, will be glad to learn that a similar program composed of entirely different selections will be given at Center, in the church, Thursday evening, March 13. Mrs. Wetzel will be assisted by Miss Lella Howe, of Monroe, Wisconsin.

Town of Janesville, March 10.—Mr. Elmer Pearle, of Beloit, was called home by the death of his brother, the late Henry Pearle.

Mrs. Etta Pearle Gardner is able to be out after a serious cold.

Steve Gardner has pneumonia.

Mrs. B. W. Little and daughter were the guests of her parents, last week.

John Turball has sold his farm but does not give possession till April, 1902.

Henry Hardwick is visiting with his cousin Walter Little and family.

Florence and Rose Britt have been sick with hard colds.

Mr. James Little is reported as some better, but not able to be out as yet.

Albert Dene called on John Parschel and family, Saturday.

R. P. Blensdale and wife took in the Golf Minstrels, Friday night.

Fred Lentz and wife are both sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Harvey Pearle, who has been so dangerously ill with pneumonia, is reported a little better.

Johnstown Center, March 10.—Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Morse, of Janesville, last week.

Mr. W. R. Pember and G. D. Hall, have been having their wells drilled.

Mrs. William McCann is very dangerously ill. Dr. Cunningham, of Janesville, is in attendance.

M. H. Morse, of Janesville, was a caller here last week.

Miss Carrie Webber entertained her sister, Mrs. John Weber, of Janesville, last week.

Mrs. Fannie Walker visited at Harry Walker's last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick, of Fort Atkinson, were visitors at Peter McFarlane's last week.

Mrs. Flora Stoller, of Richmond, visited her mother, Mrs. J. Kingsley, Sunday.

Mr. Ed Weber will move back on his farm this week.

Mr. Johnson will move into the house vacated by Mr. Weber.

Mrs. Francis D. Hall was in Milton Friday.

Mr. C. R. Harkins has gone to work for Wm. McCann.

Mr. Clarence Weber was in Janesville, Saturday.

HANOVER.

Hanover, March 10.—John Lebel has purchased the Edgerton place and will make this village his home in the future.

Dr. Keithly, of Orfordville, was called to Hanover on Monday.

The "Christian Workers" will meet at Thos. Hemingway's on Wednesday evening.

Moving pictures of the Spanish-American war and an entertainment given under the auspices of local Woodmen Camp at M. W. A. hall, Saturday evening, March 15th. Admission 10 and 15 cents. A cordial invitation extended to everyone.

Miss Emma Hartwig and Miss Ida Kohka, returned to Orfordville, Monday morning, after spending Sunday with their parents.

W. Kellogg will move into S. Schidmore's house recently vacated by W. Berges.

Rev. Logan will organize a Sabbath School next Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

F. B. Childs was a Janesville visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Lentz was in Janesville Saturday.

Thos. Inman shipped a car of fancy cattle to Oregon, Ill., last week.

A. Wiggins shipped 2 cars of stock to Chicago last week.

Casper Uehling and family, of Afton, were Sunday visitors at F. O. Uehling's.

Mrs. Bertha Gundie and daughter Clara, are living with Mrs. Gundie's father, J. Ruloff.

Old Mr. Teubert is very feeble.

Mrs. S. Schidmore and daughter Clara spent Saturday in Janesville with relatives.

Mrs. Ella Dettmer was a Janesville visitor on Monday.

Mrs. Kate Zeno and Miss Mamie Blunk, of Janesville, were Hanover visitors last week.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, Wis., March 11.—C. E. Skinner left for Woonosket, S. Da., last Friday on business.

Mrs. H. Reed of Janesville spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Elliott Graham returning home Thursday morning.

Mr. Will Naylor, an attorney at Tomah, Wis., was the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Maria Naylor from Saturday until Monday.

Messrs. O. J. Barr and W. L. Stephenson went up to Monticello on Wednesday evening to take in a live bird shoot Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Skinner received a dispatch Wednesday announcing the death of her father, Dr. Thorpe, at Shell Rock, Iowa. He has been an invalid for some time. Mrs. Skinner left on Thursday morning on the early freight, going by way of Monroe.

Mrs. Lillian Mitchell returned from

Viroqua on Monday evening. Her uncle, Mr. E. D. Rockwood, is recovering from the effects of the last surgical operation and if nothing untoward occurs Dr. J. L. Fleck will go to Viroqua this week and bring him home.

Thos. Shaif has sold his house in this city to Mr. C. D. Wooster and removed last week to Zion City, Ill., founded by Dowle.

Mr. F. W. Barnes has been honored with another promotion in railroad circles, having been appointed to the position of commercial agent for the Cleveland district, with headquarters at Cleveland, O. He will have general charge of the C. M. & St. P. R. R. interests in that section with several men under him. We congratulate Fred on his success.

Mr. L. D. Beckwith, whose success in the preliminary contest at Denver University, mentioned last week, took first place at the state contest held at Colorado Springs. This entitles him to represent Colorado at the interstate oratorical contest to be held in Minnesota. About eighty fellow students from Denver University went to the Springs to attend the contest and so pleased were they with Mr. Beckwith's success that when the exercises were over and congratulations had been received he was carried from the hall to the hotel on the shoulders of admiring friends. Being a broad-head boy, we too are proud of his success.

CLINTON.

Clinton, Wis., March 11.—Members of the Press association who were in Milwaukee the past week speak in highest praise of the entertainment afforded them.

The Congregational society are making arrangements to tender a farewell reception to Rev. W. L. Curtis and wife just after Easter and prior to their departure for Japan, which will be during the earlier part of April.

The last entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. entertainment course will be a concert given by local talent in the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, March 11. Ten cents will be charged to those not holding tickets.

Mrs. George Irish and Mrs. Cronkite were on the sick list last week.

While visiting in Janesville last Tuesday Miss Bessie Vandaryn attended the musical given by the Musical and Literary society of that place.

Mr. Elsworth Pye has returned from a four months' sojourn in Oregon. He comes home well satisfied with Wisconsin, as it rained nearly all the time he was away.

R. W. Cheever and F. R. Helmer and wife were in Milwaukee attending the meeting of the Press association, while Prince Henry was there. He being indisposed from the effects of a cold, but little was seen of him.

Mrs. George Babcock is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sayers in St. Louis. Mrs. Fadner of Chicago accompanied her.

A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Reeder on March 5th.

The Woman's Missionary society was entertained at the M. E. church parsonage on Friday afternoon, tea being served to a large company at five o'clock.

Master Lawrence Lemmel will remain here in the home of his uncle, Mr. J. C. Howarth.

On account of the concert on Tuesday evening, singing school will be held on Thursday evening in Y. M. C. A. hall.

Mr. Fred Sherron is quite sick at his mother's home in Sharon. Mrs. Sherron is there caring for him.

Miss Katherine Tuttle spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Ethel Soper of Beloit.

Hon. S. S. Jones went to Janesville Saturday on county business.

Mr. Jacob Bush was up making repairs on his residence property last week.

Mrs. J. R. Helmer is confined to her bed by illness.

Mrs. J. L. Panzborn paid her daughter in Beloit a visit last Friday.

Miss Martha Klingbeil is now employed with Fort, Bailey & Co. in Janesville, being a valuable assistant behind the counter.

Mrs. A. J. Harris was in town Tuesday a short time on business.

The community are sorry to lose as residents Rev. and Mrs. Howarth. Their plans for the future are yet indefinite. At present they are in White-water with their daughter, Mrs. Lean.

Mrs. Loveland visited in Janesville last Saturday.

CONVENTION OF PROHIBITIONISTS

Elect Delegates to the State Gathering To Be Held in City of Milwaukee June 18 and 19.

The Prohibitionists of Rock county held their convention at the Court House yesterday afternoon and chose seventeen delegates and seventeen alternates to attend the state convention to be held in Milwaukee on June 18 and 19.

Dr. H. H. Palmer was chosen president and M. S. Kellogg was elected secretary.

After the preliminary business the following delegates were chosen: H. A. Palmer, chairman; John Stockman, Rev. W. T. Miller, M. Rahyur, W. B. West, A. Longfield, A. E. Wilcox, M. Patton, J. Miller, Rev. S. G. Huey, L. Prairie, Rev. L. B. Webb, Rev. Webster Miller, T. R. Burr, Prof. E. J. Coleman, Evansville; Charles Franz, Beloit; S. H. Joiner, Janesville; Rev. T. W. North, Milton; Charles Weaver, Magnolia; Charles Dresser, Clinton. Alternates were also chosen after which the Rev. Frank E. Britten of Grand Rapids, Mich., delivered a short address.

Last evening a Prohibition rally was held at the I. O. G. T. hall on South Main street at which there was a good attendance. The exercises began with a musical selection by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans, after which Chairman Palmer introduced Rev. Britten, the speaker of the evening. He made a very interesting address, praising the work of the Prohibitionists and urging them to further efforts as a party. Rev. Britten is a firm believer in the principles of Prohibition and speaks in such a way as to offend no one, but carries logic with his every statement. He outlined the aims of the party and told what good it could do, going into the question in great detail.

In his remarks he made many good points, showing how much better it would be were there no distilleries or saloons.

Rev. Britten did not think relief from the liquor traffic could be had through either of the old parties, but if either of them would say they would join with the Prohibitionists in abolishing the evil of intemperance the Prohibitionists would gladly co-operate with them. He predicted ultimate victory for the Prohibitionists and gave the reasons for his belief.

The logic of the speaker made a very good impression on all who heard him and he was frequently applauded. At the close of his talk he made reference to the Prohibition Alliance and spoke of its three departments.

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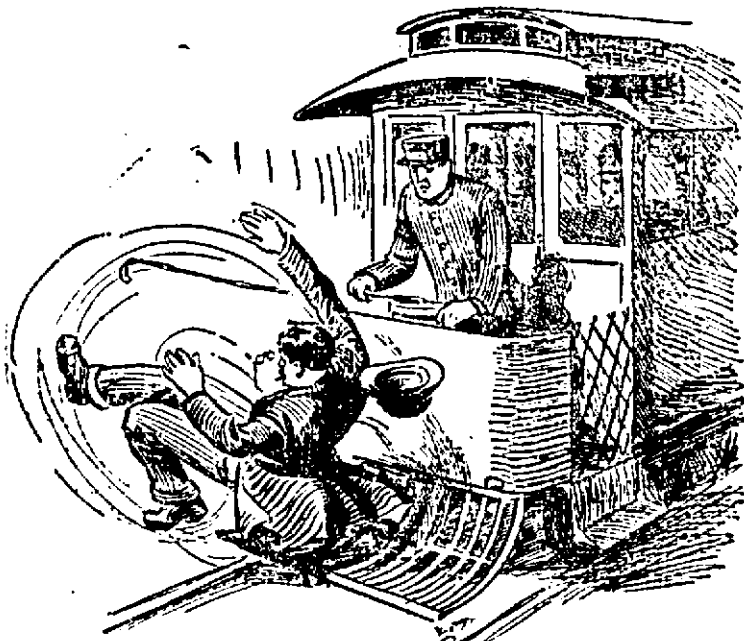
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The accident or incident is one to which many who are hard of hearing are frequently exposed.

Two acquaintances of the writer were run down and killed by the cars in one year. Both had catarrh of the head, which had extended up the eustachian tubes, leading from the throat to the middle ear, and were quite hard of hearing. In both cases the corner's jury decided that they came to their death because of inability to hear and heed signals that were intended for them. What happened to them is of frequent occurrence, and in three cases out of four might have been prevented by the use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

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my druggist and obtained such positive benefit from that one package, that I continued to use them daily, until I now consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask and my hearing which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved until I can hear as well as ever."

Mrs. Jane Barlow, the well known modiste, says: "I finally had to give up personal attention to my customers because of my increasing deafness and in consequence many of them went elsewhere. I was in despair for specialists seemed powerless to help me. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets cured me in just a little while so completely that now I hear as well as ever."

Army Surgeon C. S. Beverly became so deaf from catarrh that he was forced to resign his position, and abandon his profession. He says: "Of course my inherent professional prejudice was hard to overcome but knowing the great benefit you had received, my dear General, through the use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, I used them. The great relief I received was truly astonishing. I am now entirely cured and go back to my old post next month."

Mr. F. Mitchell Hawes, the famous baritone, in a personal letter to a friend, said: "I am going back to my beloved profession next month. This will surprise you I know, for when I last saw you, I never expected to sing again, but I am entirely cured of my catarrh and my hearing is now, as acute as ever. I used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and in three weeks they had done for me more than all the specialists, to whom I paid thousands of dollars, and now I am entirely well." Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are for sale at every drug store for 50 cents a box. Write to F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., for their free book on catarrh and its cure.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Manager Myers announces that he has arranged with the Kinodrome Show, that excellent moving picture attraction that exhibited the most excellent series of animated pictures ever seen in this city last November for a return engagement to appear at the Grand for three nights and a Saturday matinee commencing Thursday, March 13. The Kinodrome show will offer during this engagement absolutely everything that is new in elegant moving pictures and Manager Myers has a bona fide engagement that not one picture exhibited during the previous engagement will not be repeated in this city during the coming engagement. The Kinodrome Show is featuring The Visit of Prince Henry of Prussia, illustrating in the grandest manner, the greatest international event of the twentieth century.

It is questionable if the present amusement season in this city fore-shadows an event of such widespread interest and attractiveness as that of the announcement of the forthcoming engagement of that remarkably successful musical gem, "King Dodo," which will be seen at the Myers Grand tomorrow night.

This production, which is by the same authors as "The Burgomaster," is said to excel its predecessor in



brilliance, rollicking humor and gladsome melody, and as a beauty show and magnificent stage production, to totally eclipse anything of its class ever seen here. "King Dodo" comes to us with the endorsement of a five months' run in Chicago, at the State Theater, the longest ever accorded any stage production in that city and with all the splendor and handsome details which characterized the run there.

Senator Hanna Chosen Umpire. Chicago, March 11.—Senator M. A. Hanna is to be invited to Chicago as the representative of the National Civic Federation to negotiate a settlement of the machinists' strike in the Allis-Chalmers works. The step will be taken in case James O'Connell, president of the International Association of Machinists, fails in his efforts to bring the long-standing strike to an end.

Banks Merged. Minneapolis, Minn., March 11.—The consolidation of the Northwestern National Bank and the Metropolitan Bank has been effected and the two interests will be merged in the name of the former. The capital stock of the Northwestern is \$1,000,000 and that of the Metropolitan \$200,000. The consolidation is not the result of any embarrassment on the part of the Metropolitan, but simply a business move.

Three Killed by Gas. Mount Clemens, Mich., March 11.—Frederick Doescher, aged 56 years; his wife, aged 72, and his sister, Mrs. John Frank, aged 60, were asphyxiated at their residence on Clinton street some time between Friday night and this morning by coal gas.

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Fact is when you sift the whole thing down, disorders of the stomach are responsible for nine-tenths of the ills that human flesh is heir to and if you will keep your stomach right you can be pretty sure of good health.

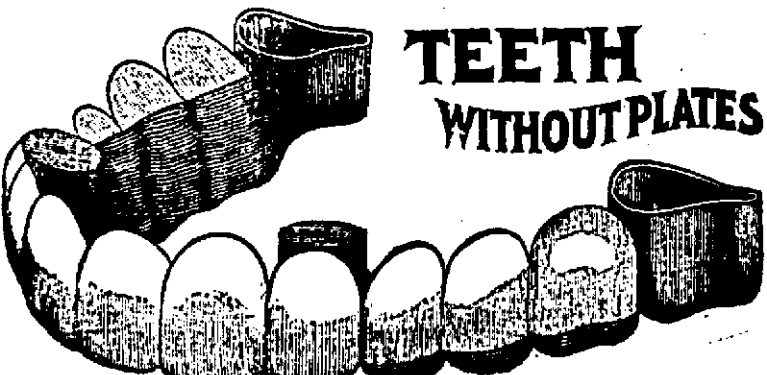
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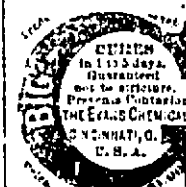


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WEATHER FORECAST.
Showers, thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday.

B. B. ELDERIDGE
In the death of B. B. Eldredge the city has lost one of her most estimable citizens. Mr. Eldredge was an honest, conservative man. He possessed an analytical mind and his work was thorough in every detail. His conclusions were based on careful investigation, and his judgment once formed, was not easily shaken. He was a good counselor, a genial companion and a citizen of broad intelligence, having at heart the best interests of the city. He died in the prime of life and until the time when confined to his home by his last illness, his step was as firm and his mind as active, as a man at 50. He was young young at 75 because he had kept in these channels of activity. He will be missed from the business circles of the city on this account. He belonged to the old school of gentlemanly men, and his strong personality has left an imprint for good in the community where he so long resided.

THE MOST IMPORTANT.
Republicans should bear in mind that the caucus is the place to lay the foundation for a successful campaign. Let the caucuses be well attended and the nominees wisely chosen and the battle is half won.—Fond du Lac Commonwealth.

The "Commonwealth" is right, regarding the importance of the caucus. No intelligent voter can afford to neglect the primaries. They are the birth place of all legislation. Many good men use the argument, that a caucus is always packed, and the time spent in attendance is wasted. It is very true that candidates are in the field in advance of the caucus, but it is just as easy to unite on the best men and nominate them, as it is to support men who simply have an ambition for office, with but little to recommend them save an ambition.

As the city develops, questions of importance are constantly coming to the surface; and there was never a time in the history of the city, when good conservative level headed men are needed in the council, more than at the present time. The office is thankless and annoying, and many good men, refuse to become candidates, and yet self interest, as well as public welfare, which every good citizen recognizes, should induce some sacrifice.

The city would be better governed by a board of three commissioners the same as the city of Washington. This would take it out of politics and put it on a business basis. While this is impractical, and of course would not be considered, the plan of electing the members of the council, by popular vote, the same as the mayor, is practical, and an amendment to the charter by legislative action, is all that is necessary. The first steps toward this innovation, is an expression of public sentiment. If a majority of the people believe in it, and petition for such an amendment, it would be readily granted. In the mean time the spring election is close at hand. It is generally understood that the retiring aldermen are candidates for re-election.

The Gazette will be pleased to publish the names of any others for this important office, so that the people may know in advance of the caucuses who the prospective candidates are. The paper has no axes to grind, and no candidates to exploit. The necessity for good government is fully appreciated, and there are some evils which should be corrected. The time and place to correct them is at the caucuses soon to be held. Every citizen has a right to aspire to city office. It is an honor to be selected as a member of the city council, and the honor would be greatly enhanced, if that organization was representative in a larger degree.

WHEN A MAN IS SIXTY.

So much is being said now-a-days, about premature old age, killing men off at 45, and inability to accomplish anything after middle life, that it is refreshing to hear the other side of the question discussed, and men who have passed middle life, will be interested to read what Henry Clews, the New York banker and Wall Street operator, has to say about, "when a man is sixty years old." Mr. Clews contributed an editorial to the Chicago Tribune last Sunday and says among other things: "When a man is 60 it is no reason why he should retire from active business," and then he refers to Andrew Carnegie, Daniel Drew, J. P. Morgan, Russell Sage and a number of elderly men of his acquaintance, who have met with their greatest success, after passing the age of 60.

Mr. Clews is an old man, but very active in business, and wonderfully successful. He has this to say of himself, after stating that he has never believed in violent exercise: "The only exercise that I have ever known to take, as such, is walking. Then it is at a gentle pace, and not for too great a distance. Just write me down as being one unalterably opposed to violent physical exercise that is thought to be so necessary to the training of the college man

of today. I am the only man remaining in the street who has been doing business under his own sign for 43 years. I am the 15th oldest member of the Stock Exchange. I am the tenth oldest member of the Union Club, and one of the twenty four left of the original 750 incorporators. I am the fourteenth oldest member of the Chamber of Commerce. I come to my office every day and can attend personally, if I wish, to the orders of the more than 4,700 customers that I have on my books, yet I can hardly remember when I was too ill to come to the office. And this I attribute to the fact that I never took any other exercise in my life than a gentle walk."

He also gives some rules which have contributed to his success: "There are two things for which I have a particular aversion. One is the man who doesn't know what he wants and takes the first bad advice offered, rushes into the market, loses his money and then kicks. The other is being forced to endure the company of a man whom I deem unworthy. The following blacklist I have had throughout my entire business career points the kind of man to be avoided. Who vilifies his benefactor. Who unjustly accuses others of bad deeds. Who never has a good word for anybody. Who is always prating about his own virtues. Who, when he drinks, drinks alone. Who boasts of the superiority of his family. Who talks religion down town in connection with his daily business affairs. Who talks recklessly against the virtue of respectable women. Who runs in debt with no apparent intention of repaying. Who borrows small sums on his note or check dated ahead. Who won't work for an honest living. Who looks down upon those who do. Who imputes bad motives to those trying to do good. Who betrays confidence. Who lies. Who is honest only for policy's sake. Who deceives his wife and boasts of it to others. Who chews tobacco in a public conveyance. Who gets intoxicated in public places. Who partakes of hospitality and talks behind his entertainer's back. Who borrows money from a friend then blackguards the lender. The common mistake, made by a great many men when they pass what is commonly known as the age limit, is to retire from active work, turn their business and property over to their children, and then become objects of genteel charity with nothing to do. It not infrequently happens that the property is lost, and old age becomes a helpless dependency with a frail body, and a vacant mind, and all because of voluntary idleness and inactivity. Better by far to be snuffed out at 80 or 90 with the harness on, than to sit in a corner for 20 years a silent spectator to the rapidly moving procession.

While it may not be possible to fight off the physical infirmities of age, it is possible to enjoy perpetual youth and vigor so far as the mind is concerned, and this can only be done by mental activity. Every man owes it to himself, to keep up the activities of life, to the limit of physical endurance. One of the saddest sights in human experience, is premature old age, as the result of inactivity. Mr. Clews is right, and his advice is well worth heeding.

William Bates, of Beloit, is responsible for the story, that two men were recently hunting on the Pecatonica River, when they discovered game. Quite a spirited discussion followed, as to whether they had flushed a flock of ducks or muskrats. One of them claimed the latter, using the argument that if they were ducks there would be a game warden in sight. The other settled the question by producing a parchment of late date. Wherever you find a duck you will find a game warden, so says Bates.

District Attorney Jerome, of New York, has shown himself to be a man of small calibre, by attacking the news papers of the city. The new official has yet to learn that a man's public life is the property of the people and that his public acts are open to approval or criticism, as the case may be. He will also learn by experience that the press reflects public sentiment in a large degree.

Refusal to permit a dance at Appleton, to be given under the auspices of the students of Lawrence University, has created a lively protest. The young men in charge appear to have invited trouble, as they well understood the rules of the school. The university will lose nothing by the stand taken.

The missing Cunarder, Etruria, is at the Azores. This old steamship company has never lost a boat or a passenger by accident, and the record remains unbroken.

Mr. Moody, the new member of the cabinet, will succeed Secretary Long, of the navy, May 1st. The president has made his own selection without the advice of the Massachusetts Senators, and the choice is undoubtedly a good one.

Just why the Edgerton Electric Railway franchise was overlooked by

the Madison Syndicate, is not apparent. The enterprise has not been abandoned and the Edgerton franchise was doubtless inadvertently overlooked. Janesville wants to see the road completed. There should be no trouble in reviving the Edgerton franchise.

Senator Whitehead enjoyed an enthusiastic reception at Kenosha last Saturday.

It is gratifying to know that moral principle is respected. The sentiment at Kenosha will be voiced throughout the state, the Milwaukee Journal to the contrary notwithstanding.

Thirty-eight dead and as many more injured, seems to be the result of the recent accident on the Southern Pacific. The hotels and hospitals at El Paso are crowded with passengers from the ill-fated train.

Among the fads now under discussion, is the free textbook system for Wisconsin schools. An effort will be made to pass a law in the next legislature favorable to the scheme. The one mill tax will probably be used as an argument.

Some of the newspaper men who voted for the Hick's resolution, are wondering where they are at. It all depends on whose ox is gored. Protection is regarded as a matter of principle by republicans generally.

Ex-Gov. Peck is noted for being accommodating, and it was like him to resign from the Board of University Regents, to relieve the governor from embarrassment.

Wild geese are flying over the country, with not a game warden in sight. This sort of neglect is inexcusable.

The new spelling committee appears to be lost in the shuffle.

HER VIEW OF IT.
"With the aid of this little book," said the canvasser, as he produced a "Mother's Guide" for the inspection of his victim, "you will be able to bring up your children properly."

She took the book and weighed it thoughtfully in her hand. Then she caught it by the edge and brought it down on the palm of her hand, as if to see if it could be handled with ease and dexterity.

"Oh, I don't know," she said at last; "I can't see that it's any better for that purpose than a slipper."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Joseph Heild, of Montreal, Can., is in the city greeting old friends. Mr. Heild now has charge of the McFarlin string of trotters, which were formerly handled by John Kelly.

A Wife Says:

"We have four children. With the first three I suffered almost unbearable pains from 12 to 14 hours, and had to be placed under the influence of chloroform. I used three bottles of *Mother's Friend* before our last child came, which is a strong, fat and healthy boy, doing my housework up to within two hours of birth, and suffering but a few hours' pains. This liniment is the grandest remedy ever made."

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Rice	05c
New Prunes	05c
Tomatoes	10c
Pure Corn Starch	05c
Laundry Starch	05c
Full cream Cheese	12c
1 gal stone Milk Pans	07c
15c package Matches	10c
Sauer Kraut, per gal	15c
Large pkg Gold Dust	15c
DeLands Saleratus	05c
1 can Salmon	10c

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SPECIAL MARKET REPORT

From the Madison, Ind. Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.

	Open	Chicago High	Mar. 11, 1902 Low	Cl.
WHEAT—				
May.....	77 1/4	77 1/4	76 3/4	76 3/4
July.....	77 1/4	77 1/4	76 3/4	76 3/4
Oct.....				
Nov.....	62 1/4	62 1/4	61 3/4	61 3/4
Dec.....				
ATS—				
May.....	44 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4	44 1/4
July.....	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Oct.....				
Nov.....	15 3/4	15 3/4	15 1/2	15 1/2
Dec.....	15 4 1/2	15 5/8	15 1/2	15 1/2
ARD—				
May.....	9 40	9 40	9 37	9
July.....	9 50	9 52	9 47	9
Oct.....				
Nov.....	8 57	8 40	8 35	8
Dec.....	8 50	8 50	8 47	8

THEIR SIGHT RESTORED.

BY THE WONDERFUL POWER OF MAGNETISM THROUGH THE HANDS OF THE BOY PHENOMENON.

Miss Ida Pugsley of 58 North St., wrote a letter to the Boy Phenomenon without her glasses, telling him she was able to see and tell the time of day, something she had never been able to do before since she was afflicted.

Well Known Lady suffering with Paralysis of Optic Nerve and astigmatism Made to see clearly After Two Treatments.

Every day is swelling the record of phenomenal cures accomplished through that strange and subtle power vital magnetism, as possessed and exemplified daily by the Boy Phenomenon, now at the Hotel Myers. Some of these cases read like chapters out of a miraculous past, when the laying on of hands cured the sick, halt and blind. In those days it was considered supernatural, but today we know there are certain persons who are born with an unusual amount of vitality, and science has demonstrated that his vital principle is life itself, and when possessed by one, who has an excessive amount of it, can be transmitted to others who lack that element, and thereby restore them to health.

A person who can wield such an influence in a community so intellectual as Janesville is certainly no ordinary man. He stands like a tower above and over all other healing agencies, wonderfully gifted by nature, and possessing the greatest magnetic power ever bestowed upon a human being, he is having an unbroken succession of the most stupendous achievements ever accorded a living man.

Nobody can form an opinion of his wonderful cures unless they actually witness them. Hundreds of people who have been blind for months and years, and others who have not taken a step without crutches suffering with rheumatism, paralysis, nervous prostration, deafness and other diseases have been and are daily being cured by him and restored to perfect health.

Janesville, Wis., March 8, 1902. I have been treated by the Boy Phenomenon for my eyes which have troubled me since I began to go to school, seven years ago. Every year growing worse until I took my first treatment. Now I can read with perfect ease at arm's length without my glasses. This treatment has worked wonders in my case and I want people to know of the good being done by the boy, so they may take advantage of this grand opportunity to be cured before it is too late.

I am writing this without my glasses. IDA PUGSLEY, 58 North St. MRS. CARRIE PUGSLEY, (her mother.)

Another of the many marvelous cures accomplished by the Boy Phenomenon the past week—marvelous, because of the startling rapidity in which it was effected—is that of Miss Ivy Dobson, 160 South Main street, who has suffered the past fifteen years with partial paralysis of the optic nerve and astigmatism—remarkable because of the apparent hopelessness of the case, after years of useless medicine and treatment by the old methods her case was indeed pitiful and to think that this great change was wrought within the past week. The following letter explains itself:

To the Public: Fifteen years ago I began losing my eyesight, which rapidly grew worse until I was nearly blind. The trouble was caused by partial paralysis of the optic nerve and astigmatism. I tried numerous doctors and specialists without getting any benefit whatever and was told that nothing on earth would help me. Last week I had my first treatment by the Boy Phenomenon and after my second treatment the improvement was something wonderful. I am enabled to recognize faces across the room and can now read print, my eyes are fifty per cent. stronger and improving in every respect. The pain in my head is entirely gone. The treatments have been so gratifying that I feel in duty bound to make this statement both in behalf of the afflicted and this wonderfully gifted young man. (Signed).

MISS IVY DOBSON. Those who desire the services of this wonderfully gifted young man should lose no time in calling, as his time is being rapidly filled. While he will remain in Janesville several weeks longer no new cases will be taken after this week. His office hours at the Hotel Myers are from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily except Sunday.

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Receiver for Elkhart Bank. Springfield, Ill., March 11.—The directors of the State Bank of Elkhart, which closed by reason of an alleged shortage of \$22,000 in the accounts of Cashier Frank W. Cottle, who committed suicide, met and decided not to reorganize the bank. Later they filed a petition in the Loan county circuit court at Elkhart asking Judge Myers to appoint former County Judge Schwartz as receiver.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce—As Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire, Mar. 8, 1902.
FLOUR—Retail at \$1.10 to \$1.15 per sack.
WHEAT—Winter 70¢ per bushel.
Buckwheat—\$1.25 per bushel.
Buckwheat Flour—Retail at \$2.00 per bushel.
Rye—60¢ per bushel.
Barley—50¢ per bushel.
Corn—Ear, \$1.50 per ton.
Oats—Common to best, white, 50¢ per bushel.
Clover Seed—\$5.50 per bushel.
Timothy Seed—\$5.50 per bushel.
Feed—\$2.50 per ton.
Beans—\$1.50 per ton.
Middling—\$3.50 per 100 lbs.
Meal—\$1.25 per 100 lbs.
Hay—Clover, \$9.00 per ton; timothy, 12.00 to 15.00 per ton.
Saw—\$1.00 per ton for cut and rye.
Potatoes—\$2.50 per bushel.
Butter—Best dairy, 22¢.
Eggs—15¢ per dozen for fresh.
Poultry—Springers, 10¢ per lb.; hens, 8¢ per lb.; turkeys, 10¢ per lb.
Wool—Washed, 19¢ per lb.; unwashed, 18¢ per lb.
Hides—\$4.00 per bushel.
Cattle—Quotable at 10¢ per lb.
Gilt—\$2.00 per lb.
Hog—\$5.00 per lb.
Sheep—\$3.00 per lb.

See two inches thick will bear men to walk on, four inches thick will bear horses and riders, six inches thick will bear teams with moderate loads. Dr. Crane's Quaker Tonic Tablets will cure constipation and all derangements of kidneys, liver and bowels. All drug stores, fifty cents.

REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION

The Republican City Convention will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Janesville, on Friday, March 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a City Committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following offices:

City Treasurer.
City Attorney.
School Commissioner at Large.
Justice of the Peace.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Thursday, March 20, 1902, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:

First ward, eight (8).
Second ward, six (6).
Third ward, ten (10).
Fourth ward, seven (7).
Fifth ward, three (3).

All caucuses will open at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continue one hour, as provided by law. Dated March 8, 1902.

A. C. JENKINS, Sec. F. H. ROEBLIN, Chm.

WARD CAUCUSES.

First Ward.

The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect eight (8) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the West Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Second Ward.

The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect six (6) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Third Ward.

The Third ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court Street, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Fourth Ward.

The fourth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect seven (7) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Council Chamber in this City, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

Fifth Ward.

The Fifth ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect three (3) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Fifth ward polling booth, in this city, on Thursday, March 20, 1902, beginning at 7:30 p. m., and continuing one hour, as provided by law.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 15th day of April, 1902, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of George A. Warren, for the appointment and allowance of his account as executor of the last will and testament of Orin J. Bacon, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate, to such other persons as are by law entitled thereto.

Dated March 4th, 1902.

By the Court, J. W. S. L. E. County Judge.

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Smith's Pharmacy.

MR. VEST ATTACKS SHIPPING BILL.

Washington, March 11.—For nearly two hours Mr. Vest of Missouri addressed the senate in opposition to the pending ship subsidy bill.

Mr. Vest began by comparing it with the postal subsidy act of 1891, and showing that in the pending bill it was proposed to increase the subsidy because it was claimed by the majority that the present postal subsidies were not sufficient.

The Missouri senator declared that 13 per cent of the subsidy which would be received by ships on the Atlantic would go to the International Navigation company—the American line. The vessels would get the subsidies whether they carried a single postal card or not. He said that Mr. Frye and Mr. Hanna had presented a series of pictures of additional commerce, claiming that trade would follow the mails. As a matter of fact, he asserted, the mails followed the trade; that had been proved by history.

He declared the pending bill provided for a "pure, naked and unadorned subsidy," and said it was defended on the ground that with the subsidy the American merchant marine could compete with the subsidized ships of European maritime powers. England, he asserted, had 53 per cent of the ocean-carrying trade of the world, but he denied that England paid subsidies. Great Britain paid for carrying the mails, the sums being dependent upon the number of pounds carried.

Most of England's ocean commerce was carried by her tramp steamers, and not a penny of subsidy was paid any of them. The only real subsidy which Great Britain paid, Mr. Vest said, was \$300,000 a year to the owners of certain vessels which could be called into use as auxiliary cruisers in time of war.

Mr. Vest urged that if the "shipping trusts" were to be subsidized there was no reason why the farming industry and the mining industry, too, should not be subsidized.

The senator from Maine (Mr. Frye), continued Mr. Vest, had said that subsidy meant protection. "And he might have said truthfully," said Mr. Vest, "that protection meant subsidy." The manufacturers of this country, he said, were protected by a tariff of 35 per cent against the pauper labor of Europe, and yet they sent their products to these same pauper labor countries and sold them from 20 to 50 per cent lower than they sold at home.

Mr. Vest maintained that ships could be built in this country as cheaply as anywhere. He made a vigorous attack on the navigation laws, declaring them responsible for the decline of the merchant marine.

The senate agreed to the conference asked for by the house on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, and Messrs. Hale, Cullum and Teller were named as conferees.

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CENSOR WANTS WU RECALLED

Charges Chinese Minister with Taking Part of Loot Fund.

ENTERS AN EMPHATIC DENIAL.

Envoy Says None of the Money Could Be Misappropriated, as It Could Only Be Used with the Sanction of His Home Government.

Peking, March 11.—A prominent Manchurian censor has memorialized the throne for the removal of Wu Tingfang, the Chinese minister to the United States. The censor asserts that Wu Tingfang corruptly retained, ostensibly for repairs to the Chinese legation in Washington, \$50,000 of the Tien Tsin silver refunded by the American government, amounting in all to \$376,000.

Washington, March 11.—If Mr. Wu Tingfang retained \$50,000 worth of the Tien Tsin silver returned to China he must have been even more clever than he is credited with being. The money was not returned through Minister Wu but through a Hongkong bank.

Furthermore, if Minister Wu retained that amount of money ostensibly for repairs on the Chinese legation he must have presumed a great deal on the ignorance of his own foreign office. The Chinese legation is a rented building, which was the personal residence of its owner. It is a good house in a good location, but \$50,000 would probably buy the whole concern.

Officials here always regret to see any evidence of discontent in China concerning Minister Wu. He has far exceeded the ordinary term of a Chinese diplomat, and his recall has been due for a considerable length of time, but his services to his native land were so extraordinary that if he had taken several times \$50,000 worth of silver he would not be too highly paid.

Wu Tingfang undoubtedly preserved China from dismemberment, and the probability is that his action saved the lives of the foreign ministers in Peking, who probably would have been slaughtered if the invading army had marched through China with fire and sword ignorant of the fate of the diplomats.

This country has intimated to China that it would prefer to have Mr. Wu Tingfang remain here, but, of course, it has no right to insist on such action. There is a well understood intention here, however, that if China should ultimately recall its minister and then attempt to punish him for some absurd alleged crime, this country would hold China personally responsible on the theory that any indignity must necessarily have been on account of his well-known friendship for America.

Mr. Wu said he promptly informed his government as soon as the United States turned over to him the Tien Tsin silver fund and the money was placed at its disposal. An acknowledgment was received by telegraph. Not one cent of the fund, Mr. Wu said, could be misappropriated, and if any portion of it were used for any purpose whatever this could be done only by the sanction of the Chinese government.

The minister has not heard officially of the presentation of the memorial for his removal, but he treats the matter lightly. There is, he says, no foundation for the statement that he retained \$50,000 of the fund for repairs to the legation at Washington. The charge is ridiculous on its face, he says, and he thinks the presentation of the memorial to have been the work of some person acting under a misapprehension or on some misinformation.

Crushed in an Elevator. Chicago, March 11.—Mrs. Annie Schneider was crushed to death in an elevator at the West Side hospital while being removed from the operating room to a ward on an upper floor of the institution. Mrs. Schneider had been operated on for a complication of disorders and placed on a cot and put upon an elevator to be taken back to her ward. In some way he operator lost control of the cage and it plunged to the head of the shaft. An attendant tried to push the cot bearing Mrs. Schneider off at the fifth floor and the patient was crushed between the elevator and the flooring.

Declines Government Post. Aberdeen, S. D., March 11.—Judge A. W. Campbell has received formal notice of his appointment as assistant attorney general in the Spanish-American war claims matters, and in the communication Mr. Knox informs him that the salary will be \$300 per month. The amount named decided Judge Campbell not to accept the tender, as he does not believe it would be worth while to go to Washington for that amount.

Sturgeon Bay Canal Open. Milwaukee, Wis., March 11.—Word was received here of the opening to navigation of the Sturgeon Bay canal. The Goodrich steamer Iowa, Captain Stines, was the first vessel to go through this season. The opening is the earliest in twenty-seven years.

Old Causes Woman's Death. Sterling, Ill., March 11.—Mrs. Andrew J. Lindsay of Rock Falls, wife of an old soldier, was burned to death. Her gown was ignited in an explosion caused by the throwing of kerosene on a dull coal fire.

Northern Pacific Strikers Yield. Missoula, Mont., March 11.—The strike of the Northern Pacific train crews has been declared off, and trains will resume running as usual. The men conferred concerning the rules of the road and the organization to which they belong, and say the walk-out was not warranted by the circumstances.

Heavy Beilert in France. Paris, March 11.—The government has asked Parliament for a supplementary credit amounting to 1,250,000 francs. The deficit to date is officially reckoned at over 27,000,000 francs.

Both Fighters Killed. Ardmore, Ind. T., March 11.—In a saloon near Rush Springs Judge Green and James McGee, partners, quarreled and in the fight both men were killed.

Negro Lynched in Arkansas. Foreman, Ark., March 11.—A negro giving his name as Horace McCoy was lynched here for assaulting Mrs. John Lemons, white.

Count Von Buelow Is Ill. Berlin, March 11.—Count von Buelow, the Imperial Chancellor, is ill with influenza and confined to his room.

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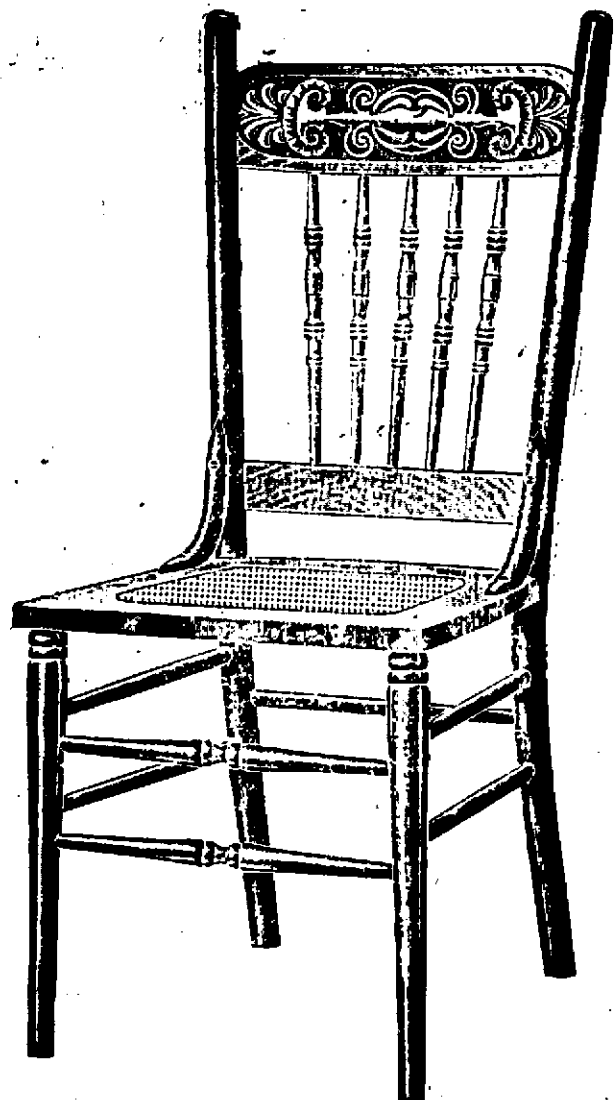
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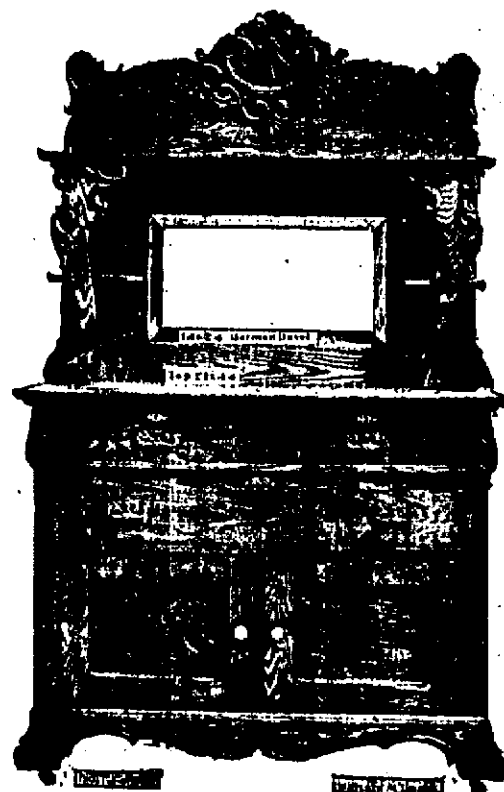
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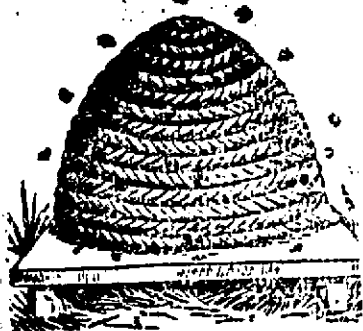
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Ladies' fast black cotton Hose, full fashioned, double sole, usually sold at 12c, for this sale.....**12c**
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